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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the names of:

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entitled:	DISPERSANTS FOR PREPARING AQUEOUS PIGMENT PASTES			
	This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f) and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed in calculating the fee.			
	Small Entity Verified Statement is enclosed.			
	Small Entity Verified Statement filed in prior application, status still proper and desired.			
The following are enclosed:				
X_	Specification (43 pages)			
	Sheet(s) of Drawings			
X	24 Claims (including 5 independent claims)			
	This application contains multiple dependent claim(s).			
X	Our checks totaling \$ 942.00, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:			

PATENT 512425-2059 (Attorney Docket No.)

	Basic Fee \$710.00 (355.00)		
	Total Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (9.00) each		
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	Copy from prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))		
	Certified copy of the following application to substantiate the claim for priority made in the Declaration to follow:		
} = =	German application No. 100 17 667.4 filed April 8, 2000		
Please charge any additional fees required for the filing of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.			

Respectfully submitted,

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